2 3 4 5 6 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE 7 WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON AT SEATTLE 8 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA ex rel., CASE NO. 22-cv-0331-BJR ADAMA JAMMEH, and ADAMA JAMMEH, FILED UNDER SEAL 10 Plaintiffs, ORDER 11 v. 12 GESAGRAN KUMAR, SANTOSHNI KUMAR, and GSK GROUPS LLC, a Washington Limited Liability Company, 13 14 Defendants. 15 The United States has filed an ex parte Application for an Extension of time to Consider 16 Election to Intervene, in which the government seeks a two-month extension of time, or until 17 May 1, 2024, in which to notify the Court whether it intends to intervene in this qui tam lawsuit. 18 Such an extension of time is expressly contemplated by the False Claims Act, which provides 19 that the United States "may, for good cause shown move the Court for extensions of time." 31 20 U.S.C. § 3730(b)(3). The Court finds that the *ex parte* Application establishes good cause. 21 Accordingly, it is hereby ORDERED that the United States shall have until May 1, 2024,

to notify the Court of its decision whether or not to intervene in this qui tam action. The Clerk

shall maintain the Complaint and other filings under seal for the duration of the government's

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The Honorable Barbara J. Rothstein

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2	Dated this 29 <sup>th</sup> day of February, 2024.
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